THE DEPARTMENT WORKERS

Interesting Gossip Gleaned Among Employes of Government Bureaus.

AN UNRECONSTRUCTED SOUTHERNER'S VISIT

General Toombs' Diplomatic Call Upon General Grant, as in a Foreign Country, Recalled by a Georgian--Popular Men in the Land Office.

Historical Society one of the speakers referred to Gen. Robert Toombs, of Georgia as a notable figure in politics before the civil war. A clerk in the Pension Office well acquainted with the general, said today in connection with this famous South-

"Gen. Robert Toombs was probably the most unique figure the South ever produced. Jurist, statesman, soldier, and farmer, he was successful at each of his many professions. In the antebelium days he was a very large planter in oays he was a very large planter in Wilkes county, Ga., and when he came to Washington to represent his State in the upper house of Congress it was his custom to direct operations on his vast estate by daily telegrams to his overseer. In return he was wired every day as to condition of crops raises and other

details connected with agriculture.

"This long distance farming was very remarkable, considering the fact that General Toombs was one of the leaders of the Southern faction in the Senate, who were then engrossed in the issues that led to secession. Though separated from his plantations by almost 1,000 miles the general never erred in his judgment, and while others were losing money at farming he was pilling up a large fortune.

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"The general was considered one of the best speakers the South ever produced, and even after his retirement from public life, on rare occasions when he an lie life, on rare occasions when he appeared in the supreme court of his State or of the nation to argue some constitutional question, both bench and bar were spellbound by his eloquence and logic. After the war the general never became reconciled to a reunited country, and refused to take the eath of allegiance.

"At one time during his career in the Senate he had met and befriended Grant, then a young officer in the army and a

then a young officer in the army, and a warm attachment sprang between the two. During President Grant's second term Toombs had occasion to appear before the Supreme Court, the first visit he had made to the Capital since he resigned his in the Senate to cast his lot with

my duty when visiting a foreign country to first pay my respects to its chief mag-istrate before proceeding with other busi-

At a recent meeting of the Columbia | Meehlin was a staff officer during the civil

Mr. Harry King, chief of the drafting division of the General Land Office, is a who is a citizen of Georgia and who was native of Washington. He entered the service as a draftsman in the Land Office in 1880, and through his merit and attention to duty rose to his present po-sition, which he has held since 1893. Mr. King is also a member of the Board of Geographical Names.

> Capts. Harold P. Howard and William R. Smedburg, jr., of the Fourteenth Cavalry, have been relieved from duty as aides-de-camp on the staff of Major Gen. S. B. M. Young, and ordered to join their

The Government has many handsom men among its employes, but there are preofreaders in the Government Printing New York." True to his ancestry, Captain Chisholm got into the war with Spain at

He is adjutant of the Spanish War Veterans' organization of the District, and is in great demand at all the demonstra-tions of the order. He is a Mason, and is well up in the rituals of various so-

Mr. Francis B. Heitman, chief of the returns section of the War Department and through whose hands pass nearly all important documents, is one of the many efficient men brought from Ohio to the seat of Government. He is very popular with the clerks and with the public and is known as the model of politoness and

the South.

"Upon his arrival in the city he at once repaired to the White House and sent in a card to his one-time friend, who had become the country's Chief Executive. He was immediately shown into General Grant's private office, and was received most cordially. Toombs drew himself up, the very embodiment of dignity, and said:

"Mr. J. R. Sutton, the poet of the Government Printing Office, has announced that he is writing a new book. It is often asserted that there is more literary talent in the big printing office than anywhere else in the Government service. The letters from some of the young men recently sent to Manila are charming. Several have been published in trades papers.

Mr. Eugene J. Hartley, of the Census "Then, seizing the President's hand and almost wringing it off, he said: 'God bless you, Grant; it does me good to meet you ment. He is an enthusiastic rowboat propeller and is now engaged in conquering larger craft. Mr. Hartley is a graduate of the University of North Carolina Mr. Frederich Mechlin, chief of division ate of the University of North Carolina in the General Land Office, is one of the most popular men in the bureau. Mr. North State.

A WOMAN BATTLES PROPOSED CHANGES WITH HER RESCUER

A Deckhand Nearly Drowned by Would-be Suicide.

NEW YORK, April 23 .- Suffering with bysteria and nervous exhaustion, Rose Osborne, a patient from Bellevue Hospital, attempted suicide yesterday afterboat Thomas S. Brennan, on which she was being taken to Blackwell's Island.

The woman was rescued only after a struggle with her rescuers, in which she nearly drowned one, and the other was so hospital.

The Osborne woman maintained a quiet demeanor nearly to the end of her trip on the Brennan. When the boat neared

to the lavatory. The next thing those on board knew of the woman was when the deckhands were attracted by the shrill and repeated blowing of a tugboat whistle and repeated blowing of a tugboat whistle to the offices on the east side. The wood in this flight is the only original timber remaining in the mansion. All the rest farther up the stream. The men of this tug were pointing first at the Brennan's decks and then at the water. The deckhands rushed to the port side and eaught
a glimpse of a woman struggling in the
water. Once she went down. Then John
Dalton, a deckhand, threw off his shoes
and coat and jumped overboard. He reached the woman and endeavored to assist her. When she saw him coming assist her. When she saw as she seemed to try to avoid him, and

shouted:

"For God's sake, let me die! I have no reason to live! Please let me got"

Baiton reached her side in an instant. She threw her arms about his neck and pulled him under the water. The patients on the Brennan crowded to the rail and watched the struggle in the water. Many of the patients were highly excited, but the attendants succeeded in keeping them quiet.

the water for a minute or so. Stephen Murray, a deckhand on the tugboat William L. Strong, tied at the island, about Ralph Chester, a teacher of music, and that he island, about fifty feet from the struggling pair, jumped into the water and started to Dalton's aid. When he reached their side Dalton was making frantic but fruitless attempts to keep his head above water, and the woman, with her arms still locked about his neck, hung as a dead weight. She was unconscious. Murray took hold of the woman's left arm and succeeded in keeping her affoat until the two could be taken aboard the tugboat William L.

Ralph Chester, a teacher of music, and that he was about to be married, and what's-her-name, of London and Calculta."

'Oh, ves;'' the gentleman of the haton remarked, "I thought I had met her somewhere."

And if the Columbia orchestra did not do as good work as usual during the reintended, too, to give a great concert, at which the people would be treated to free beer. He was a millionaire, was he, and he did not stop at any price when he gave his orders,

Burglar's Visit Hastens Death.

JERSEY CITY, April 23.-John Keane, who was stricken with smallpox several days ago, died yesterday. A burglar forced an entrance into Keane's house on Sunday night, and it is believed the excitement atending the chase and capture of the buy lar hastened his death.

AT THE WHITE HOUSE

Mansion to Be Restored to Its Original Simplicity.

It is said that as the result of the conference yesterday between Architect Charles F. McKim and Mrs. Roosevelt, a number of important changes are to be noon by jumping from the Charities ferry- made to the interior of the White House. The Tiffany glass screen will be removed, throwing the vestibule and lobby into a grand court, upon which the Blue. Red, and Green Rooms will open. The white marble mantels in the lobby will exhausted that he had to be sent to the give way to carved mahogany with great laid wood. Mrs. Roosevelt proposes to wipe out all modern features and restore the mansion to its original colonial sim-

Blackwell's Island, off Seventy-second Street, the captain found that the island slip was occupied by the steamer Minnahannock. The Brennan remained some distance off the pier awaiting its turn.

Rose Osborne came on deck and asked Mrs. Brackett, the matron, to direct her to the lavatory. The next thing those on the lavatory. The next thing those on the lavatory of the lavatory of the lavatory of the lavatory. The next thing those on the lavatory of the lava

was destroyed when the British burned

the White House.

The room now designated as the state of china, glassware and silver. The present service is inadequate. Ers. Roosevelt also desires to obtain some suitable ornaments for the East Room and the gran

DAZZLED MERCHANTS.

Imaginary Millionaire Set Vineland in a Flutter.

VINELAND, N. J., April 23.-During the past few days Vineland tradesmen have After the two had been struggling in been doing a rushing business with a Ralph Chester, a teacher of music, and

keeping her afloat until the two could be taken aboard the tugboat William L. Strong, which had put out to the rescue.

Deckhands hauled the two aboard. Dalton collapsed as soon as he reached the deck of the tug. Murray was so nearly exhausted that he was sent with the other two to the Metropolitan Hospital, on the island. The three will recover.

Burglar's Visit Hastens Death.

Home for Aged Elks.

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THE PLAYER FOLK

The Harry Corson Clarke Company, hich will inaugurate what is expected to e a rather prolonged spring engagemen the Columbia Theater next Monday ight, when "What Happened to Jones" vill be presented, will include a number of well-known players, prominent among whom are Lottic Alter, Laura Almosnino Florence Robinson, Helen Ware, Mary Karr, Laura Bryant, Lucia Huxford, John Westley, Thomas Forbes, Harry Dornton Henry Hockey, Thomas Phillips, and Thomas Hodgeman.

During the stay of the Clarke company t the Columbia such popular farces as "Why Smith Left Home," "What Did Tomkins Do?" "In the Soup," and several others of a similar character will be pre-

The production of "In the Soup" will be ne of the most interesting events of the pring season. It is an English farce, the acrican fights to which are owned by Schubert brothers, the managers of Herald Square and Casino Theaters, New York. They have given Mr. Clarke the privilege of presenting the piece at the Columbia in order that they might to a line on its worth for production at the Herald Square Theater in the fall. "In the Soup" has been immensely successful in England, where it has enjoyed full year's run, and the prespects are uli year's run, and the prospects od that it will duplicate this popularity the United States, as it is described as commonly funny affair as farces go

"The Wild Rose," the new Lederer pro luction, was given its first trial at the Garrick Theatre, Philadelphia, Monday night, and was voted an instantaneou success. Some of the Quaker City review few more distinguished in this line than ers in their enthusiasm declared that it Capt. Daniel V. Chisholm, one of the would equal in popularity "The Belle of

Eddie Foy and Junie McCree are the chief funmakers in the piece. McCree is the earliest opportunity, and was in ser- known chiefly for his connection with vice in Cuba. After the war he was ap- traveling burlesque companies of the sort pointed to his present position, and he that visit Kernan's in Washington. He immediately took high rank in his work, and as a worker in several benevolent or- and showed much more than ordinary and showed much more than ordinary ability as a creator of laughs, and the ability as a creatist of raughs, and the prediction was then made in The Times that he would make a name for himself if he ever got as far in his career as Broadway. Since last seen here McCree has been engaged in entertaining the audiences at the New York theater under the management of the Messrs. Sire, and has providence of the sheet of the heat as s proved one of the ablest of their band "The Wild Rose" Marie Cahill and

ene Bentley assume the chief feminine A feature of the performance is the fac

A leature of the period mante is the lat-that the chorus does not represent a lot of typical merry maidens. They are for the greater part recruits from the ranks of "society" of the principal cities of the Washington is alleged to have provided

a number of these shining social lights of the chorus, although the society reporters have failed to note the fact that some of the most charming and popular belies of the Capital's exclusive circles have abanoned the drawing-room for the dressing-oom and the make-up box. The society porters must have been very careless, adeed, as the press agent of "The Wild Rose" is certain that at least seven of the young women members of his com-pany are Washington seciety belles. These Lederer Society young women may be recruited from the same circle of

may be recruited from the same circle of local society as the ambitious Washington girl who went to New York to pursue an artistic career a year or so ago and simply because her father was engaged in the commendable and honest pursuft of calling out the departure of trains at one of the depots of the city, announced that pater was a prominent railroad dihat pater was a prominent railroad di-

Of course, there are society belles and ty belies in the Capital City and of the latter may be included in the chorus of "The Wild Rose."

The life of the average member of a heater orchester is not a very pleasant one, no matter from which point it may be viewed. Once in a very, very long waile the musicians are permitted to view a theatrical performance in which they jail when Detectives Sells and Walker take much pleasure, but think of the numerous performances even you, gentle reader, assert you would not visit again were you paid for it.

The hard working musicians, however are compelled to remain at their posts of duty no matter whether the show be good

But every once in a while their prosaic existence is brightened and the dull gray of their lives takes on a rosier hue because of some happening of no interest to the audience, but which to the scraper of strings, the blower of reeds, the tooter of brasses or the thumper of sheepskin is of brass andirons. The floors will be of in- the greatest enjoyment, and makes his

presence at the theater a matter of some pleasure rather than a task. The "Florodora" engagement has been chalked up in the memories of the Colin bia musicians as one of the most en jocable of the theatrical year, and prin-cipally on account of the picturesqueness of the musical director of the organization, a young man with a good knowledge of his work and a spectacular idea of the importance of the gentleman who holds the record of having wielded the baton luring some 600 Shades of the Sheltering Palms and Tell Me Pretty Maidens It was ideally beautiful from the view-bint of the audience to witness the or-nestra leader's matchless expanse of shirt front, a monocle that every once in a while worked itself into position for a sweeping glimpse of the polloi who had paid to see the performance and the air

of condescension with which the band was of condescension with which the band was regarded.

All this, however, was nothing much out of the ordinary and the "Florodora" engagement would not ,o down in musical history as the very apex of a season of pleasureable happenings had it not been for an incident that happened during the latter part of the week.

One of Washington's most noted was as a resolution is and de British gover Land League.

One of Washington's most noted women, he wife of a multi-millionaire, whose amily occupies a rather exalted social position in Chicago, London, and India, gave a box party. The display of magnificent gowns was too much entirely for Mr. Musical Director, and marshaling the monocle into action, he turned to Sol

Minster and said: "Tell me, my good man, who is the matronly lady in the bex?"

Mr. Minster replied: "That Mrs. So-and-so, the wife of Mr. So-and-so, the Chicago millionaire, and mother of Lady What's-her-name, of London and Calcutia."

the humor is not indicated in the av Louis Mann and Clara Lipman will im-

nediately upon the conclusion of their our in "All on Account of Eliza" go to Europe in search of a suitable play for next season.

Miss Lipman at one time during the present season announced her determina-tion to return to musical comedy, while Mr. Mann declared that henceforth the serious drama would occupy his sole at tention and mentioned Shylock as the haracter that would first command his alents. Mr. Mann and Miss Lipman's season in

The Red Kloof" was so unprofitable that hey were compelled to go back to Leo Detrichstein's "All on Account of Eliza," and even in this they have not been as successful as was expected.

Mr. Mann is an exceptionally clever
German comedian, while his wife is quite

at home in musical comedy, but for some reason neither wants to keep to the paths that theatergoers, who have some rights in the case, would like to see them travel.

Bandmaster Innis is writing an opera, the libretto of which is the work of a hitherto unheard of writer for the stage, Fahe Martin of Dowagiac, Mich. The Fabe Martin of Dowagiac, Mich. The piece has been christened "The Brides of the Tiger," but is said to be in no way related to the Great Lafayette's "The Li-on's Bride."

Charles Ross and Mabel Fenton will return to vaudeville next season after some years spent at Weber & Fields' and the New York Theater. Their initial effort will be a travesty on "Du Barry."

Sam Bernard is the latest deserter from he ranks of the Weber & Fields forces Bernard expects to be a star next seas He made a similar attempt some three seasons ago in a very luxubrious affair by Glen MacDonough, ealled "The Marquis of Michigan," but it lasted only a few

MANY WILLING TO LIVE AT BURNIPS CORNERS

Matrimonial Bait Atrracted Hundreds of Men.

The Supposed Wealthy But Lonely Maid Had No Fortune Except Daily Contributions From Her Dupes.

The Postmaster General yesterday isued a fraud order denying the use of the mails to Lizzie Coffee, of Burnips Corners, Mich., who advertised herself exensively throughout the country as a candidate for matrimony, stating that she had \$60,000 in cash and wanted a "congenial companion and partner" to help her spend it. According to letters received at the postoffice at Burnips Corners, about 200 people a day discovered that they loved Miss Coffee and could be as "congenial" as desired, under the conditions named. It was found by postoffic ispectors, who investigated the case, that Miss Coffee had one husband and no money, except that received from her daily visitors.

A copy of the charges was forwarded to the postmaster at Burnips Corners, who returned the papers, with the com-ment that Miss Coffee had left for parts unknown with a man other than her hus-band. About 500 proposals remained un-called for at Burnips Corners.

ARRESTED BEFORE HE COULD MAKRY

Prospective Bridegroom, Just Released, Again in Jail.

PHILADELPHIA, April 23 .- While servng a two years' sentence in the Eastern penitentiary for counterfeiting 50-cent pieces, William Lynch, a young man, had resolved to reform and get married. The young woman whom he admired had remained leyal to him and visited him at

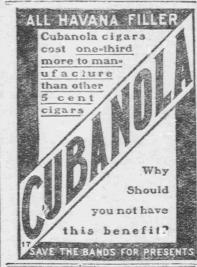
Lynch's sentence expired at 9 o'clock caught Lynch by the arm and said: "We

trate. "I will hold you in \$600 bail for trial." Lynch, who is also known by the

IRISH BILL AT OTTAWA.

Resolution Favoring Home Rule for Ireland to Be Introduced There.

OTTAWA, April 23 .- It is understood that the Hon. John Costigan intends to offer in the House of Commons shortly British government in proclaiming the



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Spurious Production of United States Mailing Cards Can Easily Be Detected, But a Large Number Has Already Been Sold.

NEW YORK, April 23. - Counterfeit ostal cards in large quantities have reently been put in circulation in this and other cities, and postoffice inspectors are on the trail of certain persons whom they uspect are printing bogus postals from an ld worn plate obtained in some way from the Treasury Department.

Notices were sent out yesterday from the general postoffice to every branch ofice and substation in this city warning postoffice employes to be on the lookout for the counterfeit postals.

inspectors are of the opinion that an old Treasury plate is being used by the counterfeiters, from the fact that while the general design of the spurious postal is correct in most of the details the letters and lines are coarse and blurred. The notice of warning reads:

"This office is advised by the postoffice inspector in charge of this division that he has been informed of the circulation of a counterfeit postal card, which is de-scribed as follows:

"The card appears to be a counterfeit. The top of the name line runs together, while in the genuine card it is spaced. The broken and the wreath is not uniform. The word "Jefferson" is in light face type, while in the genuine bold face type, while in the genuine bold face type is used. The paper on which the card is printed is a coated paper never used for postal cards. The whole appears to be a capy from an old worn pate. copy from an old worn plate.'

Counterfeiting of postal cards is a new industry. Postoffice officials say that the probable reason for the counterfeit postals creased numbers of them every year.

JAPANESE SHIPS MAY SAIL DIRECTLY HERE

Closer Communication Possible by New Line.

A new steamship line from Vladivostock, Russia, to Tsuruga, Japan, has been announced in a dispatch to the State Department from R. T. Greener, American ommercial agent at the former place. The Kotzu Maru, of 1,300 gross tons and 922 register tons, which arrived recently, is the first ship of the new line and receives a subsidy of \$70,000 from the Japanese government.

A Japanese paper (the "Tokyo Asaki") reports that the Chinese Eastern Company (a Russian organization) has made mained leyal to him and visited him at the big prison as often as the rule; permitted. They had agreed upon the date for the wedding, but the arrangements were abruptly upset by the arrest yesterday of the prospective bridegroom.

Lynch's sentence expired at 9 o'clock they had only taken a few steps from the half days, and to Osaka, the great manufacturing city, less than twenty-four

want you."

Lynch's freedom was certainly of short duration and he was surprised at being arrested, although he knew that a warrant had been issued for him.

"This is pretty tough," he remarked to the detectives. "I thought that you would let me go free after being in prison so long."

Lynch was taken to the central police court, where, when arraigned, he was confronted by Oliver P. Wilson, of Sandiford, who accused him of having robbed his house more than two years ago. Lynch had been employed by Wilson and is alleged to have stolen three rings, a watch chain, and several other articles.

"Everything testified against me is true" said the prisoness than twenty-lour hours. In connection with this line, the Chinese Eastern fleet will have direct communication with 'the United States. Whether Japanese ships or Russian are to sail to the United States is not quite clear. So far as the Chinese Eastern steamers are concerned, it is said they cannot carry coal enough to cross the Pacific. One of them (the Byrea), launched in 1991, has just been examined and her boilers found useless.

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GENERAL GREELY GOES TO WATCH EXPERIMENTS

Starts for North Carolina to Witness Telegraphy Tests.

Gen. A. W. Greely, Chief Signal Officer and Captain Russell, of the Signal Corps, have gone to North Carolina to witness experiments in wireless telegraphy under a system invented by Willis L. Moore, Chief of the Weather Bureau, and Prof. Reginald Fessenden. Lieutenants Beecher and Hudgins, of the Bureau of Equipment, U. S. N., will leave here tonight for

the same purpose.

Two stations have been established for the test, one at Roanoke Island, and the other at Cape Hatteras, about fifty miles apart. It is claimed by the inventors that their system is superior to any now in use. It has a telephonic receiver in place of the tane machine of the Marconi an. of the tape machine of the Marconi ap-

NARROW ESCAPE FROM SELF-DESTRUCTION

at His Own Home.

Despondency Said to Have Caused the Act-The Sufferer Resuscitated at Emergency Hospital.

While despondent over financial matters Bernard Murphy, fifty-five years of age, iving at 401 O Street northwest, made uccessful effort to end his life this morning by inhaling illuminating gas in a room at his home. The Emergency Hos-pital ambulance was summoned and Mur-phy removed to that institution for treatment. He rallied quickly under the sur geon's care and was soon pronounced out of danger, but owing to the fact that he was suffering from a severe nervous shock

was kept at the institution.

Although no definite statement could be secured from the unfortunate man the hespital authorities stated that he was in a despondent mood when he endeavored to take his own life.

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